

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 32, as follows:

The device can be directly attached to a flat smooth surface by suction that is by moving the actuating member 9 into a locking position as shown in Fig. 3. In Figs. 3 and 5, the device is shown attached to a mounting plate 21, which may be connected to a support surface by cementing or other attaching means. In Figs. 2 and 4, the device is shown rotatably supported by a clamp support structure including a clamp mounting plate 22 having an engagement claw 23 and at the opposite end a clamping member 24 by which the rim 25 of the base 20 can be firmly engaged by a knurled head screw 26 for locking the device onto the clamp mounting plate 22. The clamp mounting plate 22 may be attached to a support surface also for example by cementing or it may be screwed to a support surface. A suction mounting plate 21 or a clamp mounting plate 22 can be mounted onto rough surfaces, on which the suction disc would not hold the support device.